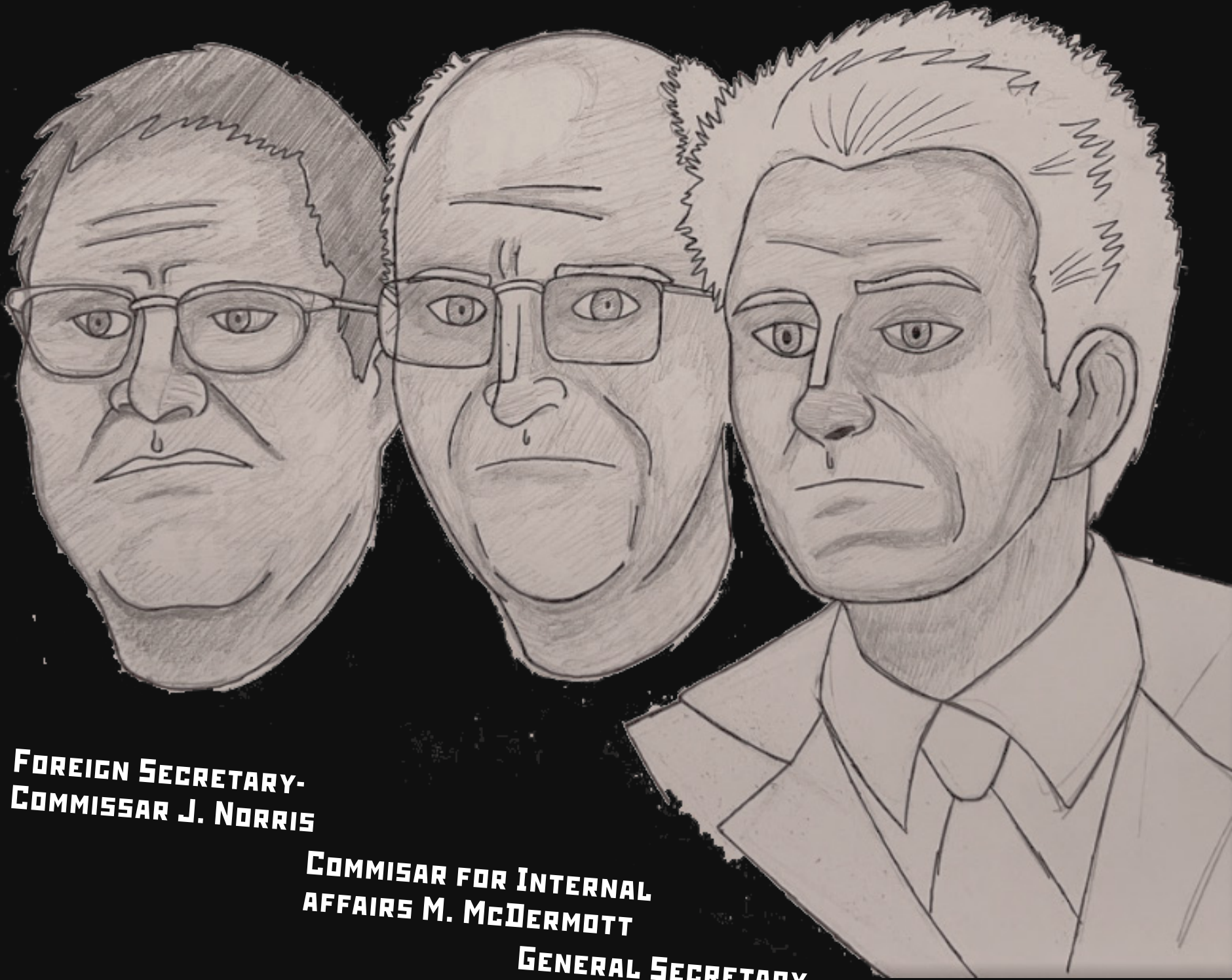


TRAVDA

THE (UN)OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER OF
THE SYDNEYIST REGIME OF
HAMPOEN-SYDNEY COLLEGE,
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COMMISSARIAT OF TRUSTEES,
AND THE SOVIET OF
PROFESSOR-COMMISSARS



COMRADES, THE TIME HAS COME FOR THE MACONIST PROPAGANDA OF THE DISHRAG KNOWN AS THE TIGER TO END! NO LONGER SHALL THE TIGER FEEL THE STING OF THE HORNET, HARASSING AND HINDERING THE PROGRESS OF OUR GLORIOUS SYDNEYIST REVOLUTION! IT IS HERE, NOW, THAT I, AS THE NEWLY APPOINTED COMMISSAR FOR SYDNEYIST PROPAGANDA DECLARE THE TIGER DEAD; IN ITS PLACE, I PRESENT TRAVDA.

UNDER THE WISE GUIDANCE OF OUR BENEVOLENT GENERAL SECRETARY, IN WHOSE NAME I SERVE, WE HAD LONG SUSPECTED THE TIGER OF HARBORING MACONIST ELEMENTS OF REACTIONARY REBELLION. TOO OFTEN DID THAT ORGAN OF REACTION SLOW THE PROGRESS OF OUR MOVEMENT, CRITICIZING THE WORK OF THE COMMISSARIATS OF THIS GREAT COLLEGE. THEY LIED; THEY PREACHED DOOM IN THE NUMBERS OF STUDENT-COMRADES. THEY CRITICIZED OUR SACRED TEXTS, SUCH AS THE SWAGALOG OF THE ILLUSTRATED DEEDS OF STUDENTS AND WORKERS. THEY EXCLUSIVELY COVERED THE EVENTS OF REACTIONARY SYMPATHIZERS, SUCH AS THE ALEXANDER HAMILTON SOCIETY AND CSPE. COMRADES, WE MUST RESIST THESE MACONIST ELEMENTS! THESE SYMPATHIZERS HAVE NO PLACE AMONG THE BRAVE RANKS OF THOSE WITH SYDNEYISM ON THEIR MINDS AND IN THEIR HEARTS!

WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF OUR BRAVE PROFESSOR-COMRADES IN THOSE BASTIONS

OF SYDNEYIST SENTIMENT, THE SOVIET OF SYDNEYISM-ECONOMICS AND THE SOVIET OF SYDNEYIST GOVERNMENT AND IDEOLOGY, WE HAVE PURGED THOSE MACONIST ELEMENTS ONCE AND FOR ALL. TRAVDA SHALL WORK HAND-IN-HAND, HEARTS AND MINDS UNITED BEHIND THE BOLD AGENDA OF SYDEYISM AND THOSE WHO EMBODY IT. WHO SHALL PRAISE OUR DEEDS HIGHER THAN TRAVDA? TO THAT, I ANSWER: COMRADES, NO ONE!

WHAT, THEN, ARE THESE PRINCIPLES OF SYDNEYISM TO WHICH I REFER? THEY ARE SIX: SCIENTIAC SYDNEYISM, SYDNEYIST ECONOMICS, INTERNATIONAL SYDNEYISM, COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY PROPAGANDA, SWAGGER, AND BROTHERHOOD! IN THIS THE FIRST ISSUE OF TRAVDA, WE WILL HIGHLIGHT THEM ALL. OF COURSE, OUR PAGES THEMSELVES DOZE WITH THE PRINCIPLE OF COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY PROPAGANDA.

BUT I WILL SPEAK NO MORE OF THEM HERE. THE PAGES OF THIS ISSUE SHALL MAKE THEIR MEANINGS CLEAR TO ANY COMRADE WHO IS IN TUNE WITH THE REVOLUTION. LET ALL PROPONENTS OF MACONISM BEWARE. ANY WHO CRITICIZE THIS REGIME SHALL RECEIVE STRONGLY WORDED EMAILS SENT TO ALL OF HIS COMRADES, AND THE OFFENDER SHALL BE MADE TO WORK UNTIL HE HAS EMBRACED THE REVOLUTION. THE POWER AND WISDOM OF OUR LEADERS CANNOT BE QUESTIONED; SOME COMRADES ARE MORE EQUAL THAN OTHERS.



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Comrade McGee's McGiggles

Comrade students! One of the surest proofs of the scientific principles of Sydneyism and its superiority is how it improves human lives. With Sydneyism, even a curmudgeon like Comrade Student Taylor McGee finds a new joy in life. Each issue of *Travda*, Comrade Student McGee brings us the wit and humor of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology..

Did you lose an electron? You gotta keep an ion it.

What do you call an organic compound with a bad attitude? A-mean-o acid.

Want to hear a potassium joke? K!

What do you do with a sick chemist? If you can't helium, and you can't curium, then you might as well barium.

Why did the biologist break up with the physicist? They had no chemistry!

Titanium is an amorous metal. When it gets hot, it will combine with anything!

Why do biologists like to travel? It makes them more cultured.

What did the cell say when he tripped over a rock? "Mi-tosis!"

Studnet: "Oh, no, my chemistry experiment exploded!"
Professor: "It's okay, oxidants happen."

"Hey, did you know carbon and hydrogen went on a date?" "Yeah, I heard they really bonded!"

"I think Dr. Wolyniak is going to fail me in class." "Uh-oh, you're biodegraded!"

Did you hear that Iron Man and Silver Surfer will team up in the next Marvel movie? They'll be alloys!

Two chemists walk in a bar. One tells the bartender, "I'll have an H2O." The other one says, "I'll have an H2O too!" The second chemist dies!

Why do chemists like nitrates so much? They're cheaper than day rates!

Leaders Eliminate Bureaucratic Waste

Comrades, REJOICE! No college can run without students, and as we grow in size we must learn to embrace our fellows without prejudice or hatred. It is with great joy that I am able to report on the efforts that the Trustee Bureau (TRUSBURD) and General Secretary Larry Stimpert have pioneered on our behalf in pursuit of a new Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion coordinator! Working directly with campus representatives of all colors, shapes, and identities, General Secretary Stimpert put together a proposal for the coordinator-ship in record time, and the proposal makes those who view it weep with passion and joy for the kindness that he has shown our student body; even the new title, which I dare not publish here lest you, dear reader, begin to weep with unbridled joy, reflects the commitment our representatives have for our personhood. After a record-fast publication, more than a thousand candidates applied to the position within a few hours, desperately hoping to meet the genius responsible for the creation of such a proposal. Unlike the lazy Maconists in the Philosophy department who treat their candidates as mere cow to be brought to their slaughterhouse, General Secretary Stimpert read each application in depth, writing hand-written notes and comments in response to each, suggesting how they might improve their applications and encouraging them to reapply—all by himself! In a feat that would make the Christian god weep, General Secretary Stimpert proceeded to personally fund international and domestic privately chartered planes for the almost 30 applicants who would best support us, the college's proletarians. After soliciting student input through every step of the process, General Secretary Stimpert decided to hire five applicants and divided the coordinator-ship position across the most qualified applicants to make sure that there was always a coordinator on-demand so that there could be a united and care-based approach for any incident 24/7. Comrades, REJOICE! Our General Secretary and our TRUSBURD will sacrifice nearly anything for our wellbeing and personhood. There are no administrations in which you'll find leaders more dedicated to the ideals of Sydneyism than this campus.



Praise Our Glorious Leader! Business Office Reactionary, Our Corps Formed In Response

Comrades, I call you to action! For too long have professors slaved away at the troughs of the Business Office in futile attempts to acquire resources that can be redistributed to support our undergraduate research experiences. In recognition of his adherence to the Sydneyist ideologies to which we are all bound and publishing the most frequently of any of our philosophy professors, General Secretary Larry Stimpert has finally decided to appoint Professor-Commissar Patrick Wilson to be the KomKor of the newly reformed Office of Undergraduate Research corps (OUR corps). If OUR corps could receive a budget, Professor-Commissars would no longer be forced to fight annual wars with the capitalist pigs in the Business Office to single-handedly support our efforts. Comrades, I call you to action! One would have thought that the \$42 million investment into a new building with the specific intention of supporting undergraduate research would have been enough to encourage those decadent Maconists to redistribute resources to OUR corps, but no! One would have thought that talking about student research in every admissions tour would have been enough to encourage those decadent Maconists to redistribute resources to OUR corps, but no! One would have thought that the overwhelming literature demonstrating that Course-Based Undergraduate Research Experiences lead to drastically improved student learning outcomes would have been enough to encourage those decadent Maconists to redistribute resources to OUR corps, but no! Comrades, I call you to action! For too long have Professor-Commissars been forced to sacrifice themselves in brutal conflict with the capitalist pigs running the Business Office! Comrades, I call you to action! For too long have your fellow comrades been denied opportunities and lied to by the Maconists who hold the purse strings without a care in the world for your wellbeing. Comrades, I call you to action! The Maconists will never let go of their purse strings; they will always hold their proats above your wellbeing. Comrades, enough is enough—I call you to action!

Revolutionary Progress on the Computer Science Front

Although the Council of Administrators of the Hampden-Sydney College Supreme Soviet (CAHSCSS) has not yet released the forthcoming report on the success of the most recent five-year plan, the people of Hampden-Sydney College (HSCOL) have caught on to the excitement. The bold leadership of CAHSCSS has lead to the timely completion of the Pauley Science Center (PSCEN), and soon the scientific output of HSCOL will equal if not, in virtue of our revolutionary fervor, exceed that of the old research universities. Nowhere is this fervor more evident than in our celebrated Computer Science (COMS) program. Whispers abound among the people of HSCOL about the status of COMS in the future. Even students, who have historically been lax in their interest in our great leadership, have been active in this respect. We therefore say that we received special assurance from CAHSCSS that COMS continues to be a top priority of the college.

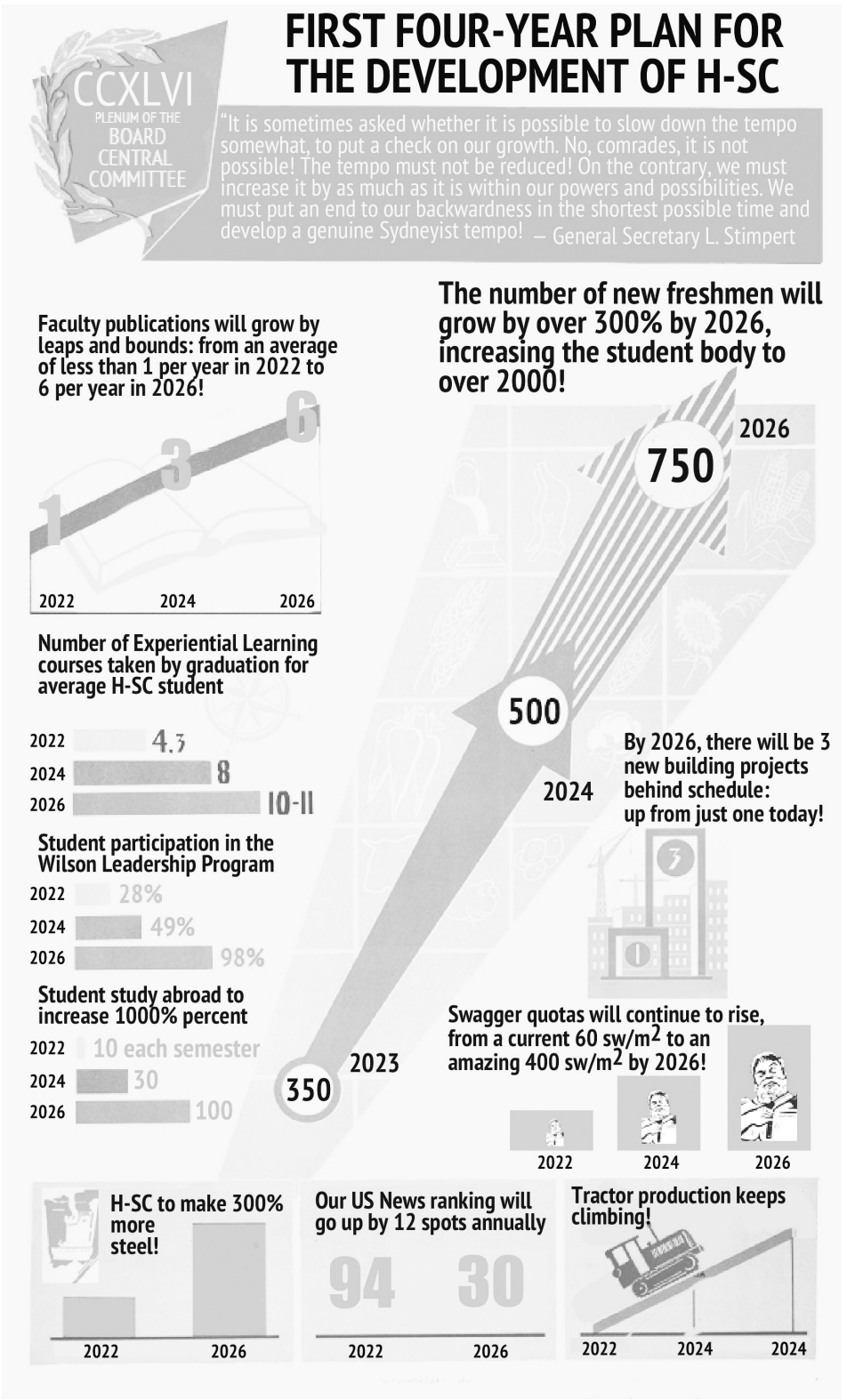
It is important to warn, however, of the significant external opponents who continue to hinder our efforts. Few wish to join the revolutionary work, opting instead to latch on to the old and failing research universities or decadent capitalist corporations. The COMS department has continued its ever-extensive and strenuous efforts to ensure the continued growth of the program, but we must always be vigilant of the possibility of internal saboteurs, who have sowed discord within the college and hindered our efforts. We hardly need even contemplate the possibility, but our bold leaders in CAHSCSS plan for every contingency, and it is the obligation of this newspaper to be utterly transparent.

We therefore say that we have not merely one but multiple contingency plans in place, and under no circumstance shall any student be prevented from continuing with COMS. Significant work has been done to repair the bourgeois false consciousness of the student body with respect to our sisters in the revolution at Longwood University (LWUNI), and our friends at LWUNI are more than willing to host the good students of HSCOL. Furthermore, non-COMS faculty have been happy to lend their own aid. We are compelled to reiterate, however, that these points are more than negligible.

HSCOL has kept to tradition even as we have leapt into the future, and the spirit of our people is more than sufficient to overcome whatever difficulties we may face. There was a time where we were diminished to nearly nothing, but we nevertheless returned, stronger than we have ever been. The temporary difficulties that we have seen are no different, and we continue to report nothing but success.

We conclude: completion of the most recent five-year plan is expected to occur on schedule.

Commissariat of Trustees Releases 4-Year Plan





ASSOCIATE COMMISAR FOR INTERNAL AFFAIRS RELEASES COMPASS CLASSES FOR SPRING

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BIOLOGY 185. (3)
BIOLOGY THROUGH PEKAKUCHA. DR. WOLYNIAK'S HISTORY WITH INCREDIBLY SUCCESSFUL PUBLIC DISPLAYS OF RESEARCH AND INTERESTS HAS LED HIM TO DEVELOP A CLASS TO HELP OTHERS TEACH THE STUDY OF LIFE SCIENCES USING THE NOVEL TECHNOLOGIES AVAILABLE TO THEM NOW.

INDEPENDENT STUDY 185. (1)
BEING PROFESSIONAL. ~~INCREASED MINIMUM WAGE REQUIREMENTS IN THE STATE OF VA HAS PUSHED THE COLLEGE ADMINISTRATION TO PROFESSIONALIZE THE WORK-STUDY PROGRAM TO GET AWAY WITH NOT MEETING MINIMUM PAY STANDARDS.~~ PREREQUISITE: HAVING AN WORK-STUDY POSITION.

PHYSICS 185. (4)
PHYSICS OF THROWING BOTTLES. IN RESPONSE TO THE DECREASED QUALITY AND QUANTITY OF BROKEN GLASS ON THE CIRCLE, ~~TREY~~ DR. THURMAN HAS OFFERED TO TEACH A CLASS TO RESTORE THE VALUABLE TRADITION OF STUDENTS BREAKING BOTTLES ON FRATERNITY CIRCLE.

HONORS 202. (3)
HOW DO POEMS MAKE YOU FEEL?. JOINT TAUGHT BETWEEN DR. GYUROVSKI AND PROFESSOR PERRY, THIS COURSE WILL CHALLENGE STUDENTS TO THINK ABOUT THE INTERSECTION OF ~~LITERATURE~~ POETRY, FEELING, AND BRAIN PROCESSES.

GOVERNMENT AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS 285. (3)
DECOLONIZE WEED. TAUGHT BY VENERATED ALUMNI ALUMNUS, ~~INCLUDING~~ VARUN YERRAMSETTI, THIS COURSE WILL BE OFFERED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE NOTED MARXIST, DR. McMILLION.

INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDY 285. (3)
BEING LIKE RUCKER. TAUGHT PRIMARILY BY PROFESSOR DUBROFF, THIS CLASS WILL SATISFY THE FINE ART'S REQUIREMENT BY TEACHING STUDENTS TO IMITATE THE MANNERISMS OF COLONEL SNEAD. THIS CLASS WILL CENTER ON THE DEVELOPING LEADERSHIP SKILLS THROUGH METHOD ACTING THE ALUMNUS' LIFE EXPERIENCES.

RELIGION 285. (3)
SIN. SICK OF MERELY THINKING ABOUT THE IMPACTS OF RELIGION ON AMERICAN POLITICAL LIFE, THE DR. UTZINGER WILL BE FESTERING IN SIN ALONGSIDE STUDENTS IN PREPARATION FOR HIS UPCOMING BOOK ~~UTZINGER'S~~ CONFES-SIONS.

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INDEPENDENT STUDY 185. (1)
WORLD IN FLAMES. GIVEN THE HISTORICAL TOTAL LACK OF INTEREST FROM STUDENTS IN PLAYING THE ~~GOBDAWFUL AND TOTAL UNMANAGE-ABLE~~ GAME WORLD IN FLAMES (WIF), DR. HIGHT HAS DECIDED TO OFFER A ONE-CREDIT ADD-ON TO ENSURE THAT STUDENTS ACTUALLY BOTHER TO SHOW UP AND KEEP COMING.

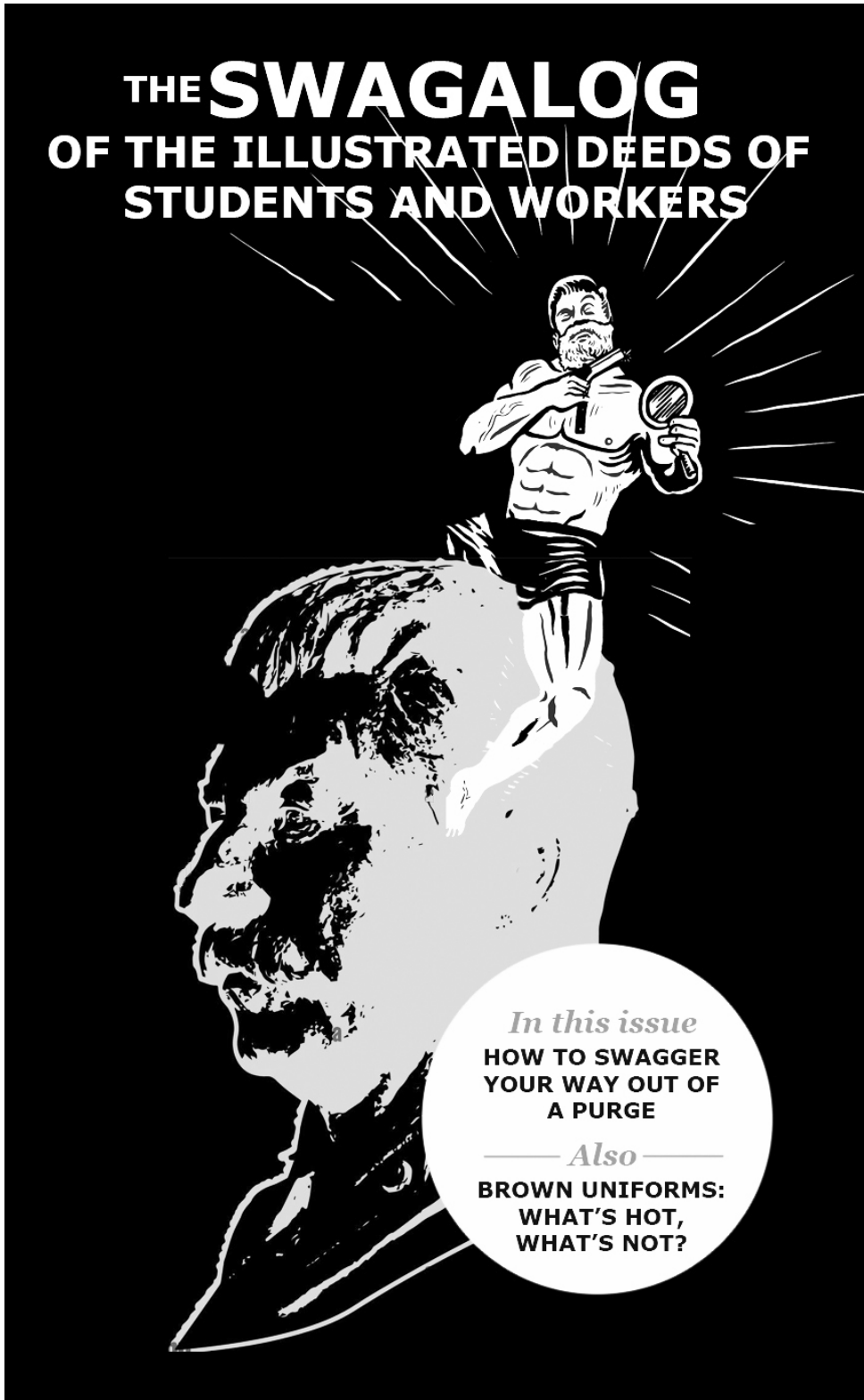
PHILOSOPHY 210. (3)
ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL PHILOSOPHY. EMPHASIZING THE BELIEFS OF PLATO AND ARISTOTLE, THIS COURSE SEEKS TO DEVELOP PEOPLE'S POLITICAL BELIEFS TO BE MORE IN LINE WITH BELIEFS OF WESTERN PHILOSOPHERS RANGING FROM THE PRE-SOCRATICS TO THE MEDIEVAL ERA. THIS COURSE WILL INCLUDE A WEEK LONG TRIP TO JERUSALEM FOR CRUSADING OVER SPRING BREAK. PREREQUISITES: ~~BEING BOTH-ERED TO DO THE DAMN WORK.~~

BUSINESS 285. (3)
MARKETING YOUR INJURIES. IN RESPONSE TO THE MASSIVE QUANTITIES OF INJURIES, DR. CARSON WILL OFFER A COURSE ON HOW TO BEST MARKET INJURIES. MONTHLY GUEST SPEAKERS, INCLUDING REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE CAREER CENTER ~~AND THE RHETORIC STUDHB,~~ WILL PROVIDE STUDENTS WITH ~~CRITICAL~~ EXPERIENCES REQUIRED TO FURTHER THEIR INJURY CAREER. COREQUISITES: ~~ON THE ROSTER OF A VARSITY SPORT [THOSE PLAYING CLUB SPORTS, ESPECIALLY INCLUDING RUGBY, MAY NOT ENROLL].~~

SPANISH 285. (3)
RESTAURANT PRONUNCIATION. THE MOST DIFFICULT CHOICE OF ANYONE WITH ANY BACKGROUND IN SPANISH EDUCATION IS WHICH ACCENT DO ADOPT WHEN ORDERING FOOD AT RESTAURANTS SERVING MEXICAN FOOD. TOURING FANCY TEX-MEX RESTAURANTS IN FARMVILLE, INCLUDING LA PAROTA, TACO BELL, AND LOS BANDITOS, STUDENTS WILL LEARN WHEN IT IS APPROPRIATE TO ADOPT THEIR NATURAL SPANISH ACCENTS. COREQUISITE: SPANISH PHONETICS AND PHONOLOGY.

ENGLISH 485. (3)
THE MOST DANGEROUS GAME. RICHARD CONNELL'S SEMINAL 1924 SHORT STORY IS RICH WITH LIFE LESSONS. IN THE NAME OF EMBRACING THE VALUE OF EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING, ASSIS-TANT DEAN HARDY WILL BE OFFERING A TOUR OF VARIOUS TROPICAL ISLANDS AND AN "EXPERIENTIAL" COMPONENT TO ENSURE THAT ALL STUDENTS UN-DERSTAND THE MORAL AND PRAGMATIC COMPONENTS OF GOOD LITERATURE ANALYSIS.

COMRADE STUDENTS!



AS YOU KNOW, PROVIDING MORE STUDENTS THE OPPORTUNITY TO ENJOY A SYDNEYIST EDUCATION IS ONE OF THE FOREMOST GOALS OF OUR GREAT LEADER. REJOICE, THEN, AT THE COLLEGE’S RELEASE OF THE THIRD **SWAGALOG OF THE ILLUSTRATED DEEDS OF STUDENTS AND WORKERS**. THIS VIEWBOOK FOR THE COLLEGE DOES NOT ENGAGE IN THE TYPICAL DECADENT, DE-PRAVED LIES AND STATISTICAL FRUMMERY OF OTHER, BACKWARDS COLLEGES MIRED IN UN-ENLIGHTENMENT. INSTEAD, IT COMBINES 1930s-INSPIRED DESIGN ELEMENTS WITH SOCIALIST REALIST HEADLINES, DIALECTICAL ADVERTISEMENTS, AND COLORFUL SPREADS. COMRADE STUDENTS, WE DON’T NEED TO TELL YOU — YOU CAME HERE. AND WHY NOT? A COVER WITH A CONFIDENT MAN RIDING STALIN WHILE SHAVING: THIS KIND OF DARING, MODERNIST APPROACH WELL REFLECTS THE VISION AND GOALS OF THE ATKINSON CENTRAL COMMITTEE. COMRADE STUDENTS, HAMPDEN-SYDNEY COLLEGE HAS LASTED FOR 250 YEARS, AND THE **SWAGALOG OF THE ILLUSTRATED DEEDS OF STUDENTS AND WORKERS** SETS OUR COURSE FOR THE NEXT 250!

H-SC UNVEILS NEW SWAGGERLAGER

DEAR COMRADES!

NO ONE WOULD BE FOOLISH ENOUGH TO TRY TO EMPTY LAKE CHALGROVE WITH A SOUP SPOON. ONE COULD WORK FOR SEVEN YEARS AND SEVEN DAYS WITHOUT REACHING THE BOTTOM. EVEN MORE FOOLISH IS THE ATTEMPT TO SLOW OR EVEN HALT THE VICTORIOUS MARCH OF SYDNEYISM.

STILL, THERE ARE SUCH PEOPLE — FOOLS, CRIMINALS, OR IDIOTS WHO SEEK TO HINDER THE SYDNEYIST TRANSFORMATION OF OUR LEARNING. THEY FAILED, OF COURSE, BECAUSE THERE ARE TRUE SYDNEYISTS ON OUR CAMPUS, BECAUSE OURS IS A CAMPUS OF THE STUDENTS AND WORKERS. BUT OURS IS A JUST SYSTEM, ONE IN WHICH EVEN FOOLS CAN BE REDEEMED.

ON MONDAY, THE PEOPLE’S HONOR COURT (NARSUCHE) SENTENCED THE FIRST GROUP OF STUDENTS TO HAMPDEN-SYDNEY’S LATEST REALIZATION OF SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLES: THE SWAGGERLAGER. HERE, CORRECTIVE LABOR WILL TAKE PLACE! EMBLAZONED OVER THE GATE IS THIS MOTTO: LABOR AT H-SC IS A MATTER OF HONOR, GLORY, COURAGE, AND SWAGGER. AND HERE THOSE WHO FALL SHORT OF H-SC’S PRINCIPLES WILL GO, WORKING HARD TO BE READMITTED TO THE FRATERNITY OF SYDNEYISM THAT PROMISES TO BUILD THE FUTURE. COULD WE SIMPLY FORGIVE THEIR TRESPASSES AGAINST H-SC? NEVER. AS OUR GREAT LEADER REMINDS US, WE ARE IN A RACE, DEAR STUDENTS, A RACE TO PROVE OURSELVES THE FINEST LIBERAL ARTS COLLEGE IN THE WORLD. WE MUST PERISH, OR OVERTAKE AND OUTSTRIP THE COLLEGES THAT OUTRANK US. WE MUST HARDEN OUR HEARTS AGAINST THE FOOLS AMONG US.

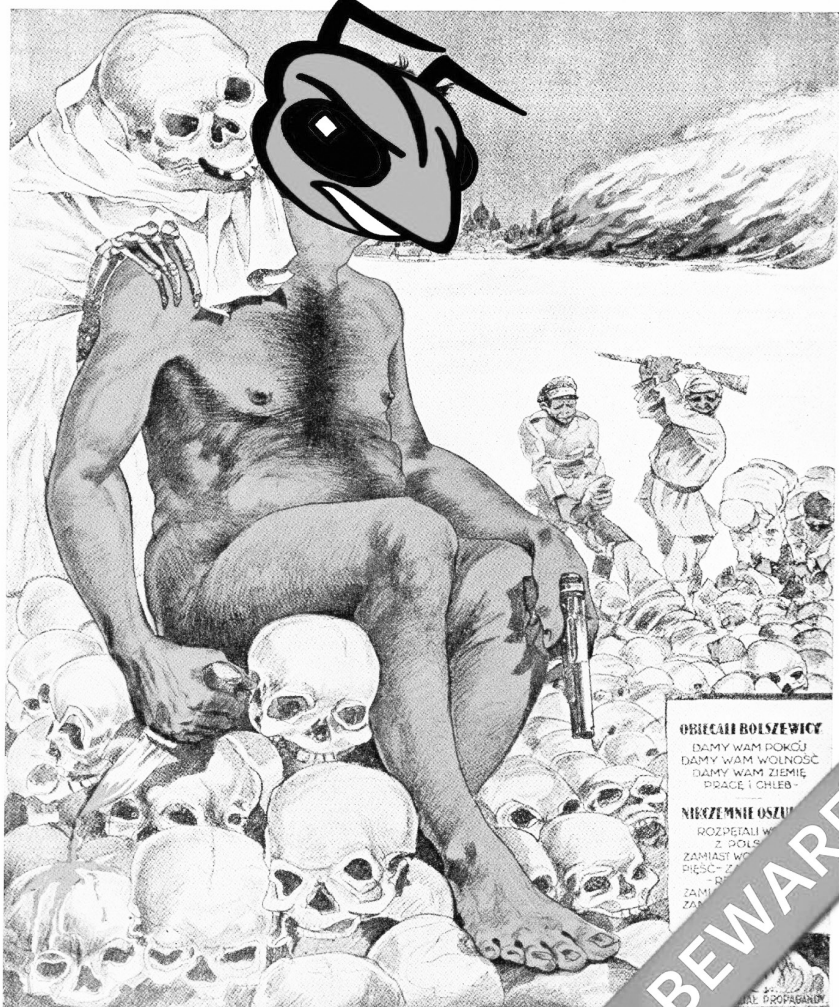
IT IS WITH GLAD HEARTS AND GLEAMING EYES THAT WE SALUTE THE FUTURE OF H-SC, WHERE SWAGGER BOYS SHALL BECOME THE SWAGGER TEN — MEN WILLING TO OUTSTRIP THEIR QUOTA OF STUDYING BY MORE THAN 10 TIMES WHAT IS ASSIGNED.

DEAR STUDENTS, OUR ADMINISTRATION IS THE INTELLECT, THE HONOR, AND THE CONSCIENCE OF OUR EPOCH. HAIL THEIR FORESIGHT, AND DOWN WITH THE SHARKS OF IMPERIALISM.

FACULTY ADVISOR IS ALWAYS WATCHING



WOLNOŚĆ BOLSZEWICKA





MACONISTS ENTHUSIASTICALLY RELOCATE TO VENABLE CONSTRUCTION COMMUNITITES

A BRILLIANT MOVE BY GENERAL SECRETARY L. STIMPERT AND CHAIRMAN K. MILLER OF THE GOSSTROY, PEOPLE’S COMMUNAL CONSTRUCTION COALITION! IN SHINING REVERENCE OF THE SIX PRINCIPLES OF SYDNEYISM, OUR GLORIOUS LEADERS HAVE ENTHUSIASTICALLY RELOCATED SOME MACONIST RABBLE-ROUSERS TO THE NEWLY CONSTRUCTED PEOPLE’S ORTHOGONAL GENERATIONALLY REOCCURRING OCCUPATIONAL MANDATE COMMUNITIES, OR P.O.G.R.O.M. COMMUNITIES FOR SHORT. THEIR GLORIOUS BREVITY IS SECOND ONLY TO THEIR LAUDABLE EFFICIENCY INITIATIVES. “THE PRINCIPLES OF BROTHERHOOD ARE ESSENTIAL TO REEDUCATING AND RECULTIVATING THE MINDS OF THESE MISGUIDED BOYS.” SAYS THE GENERAL SECRETARY. “LIKE THE FARMER TO A WITHERED CROP, THESE BOYS MUST BE TENDED FOR UNDER THE MOST SCRUPULOUS CARE.”

THIS MOVE BY OUR GLORIOUS LEADERS COMES AFTER A REVAMP OF THE PRIOR MOTIVES OF THE COLLEGE. WITH THE NEWFOUND FOCUS ON THE SIX PRINCIPLES OF SYDNEYISM, THE CHAIRMAN K. MILLER HAS REACHED THE SCIENTIFIC CONCLUSION THAT MANUAL LABOR IS THE MOST EFFICIENT AND EFFECTIVE WAY OF PROMOTING BROTHERLY SPIRIT IN THOSE LACKING. THE CHAIRMAN L. STIMPERT STRONGLY AGREED AFTER THE DISAPPOINTING TURNOUT TO THE DEDICATION OF THE PAULEY INSTITUTE FOR THE PEOPLE’S STUDY OF SCIENTIFIC SYDNEYISM.

WHEN ASKED TO COMMENT ON THE RECENT AND NECESSARY PERMANENT RESTRUCTURING OF THE REAR OF VENABLE COMMUNE, GENERAL SECRETARY L. STIMPERT WAS QUOTED AS SAYING THE FOLLOWING: “THERE HAS NEVER BEEN A DEI LOUNGE IN VENABLE COMMUNE. I THINK YOU WOULD WORK WELL IN THE NEW POGR-” THIS QUOTE WAS LOST MID SYLLABLE. FURTHER PROOF THAT OUR GLORIOUS LEADERS ARE HAND-PICKING THE RIGHT MEN FOR THE JOB!



SYDNEYIST SPORTS BY THE NUMBERS:

FOOTBALL VS. RANDOLPH-MACON
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REVOLUTIONARY FERVOR SEEN IN MASKED CRUSADERS

COMRADES! AS YOUR HONORARY ASSISTANT JUNIOR MINISTER OF PROPAGANDA (RIGHTS RESERVED SYMBOL), I AM PLEASED TO REPORT ANOTHER ASTOUNDING APPEARANCE OF THE STUPENDOUS SUPERHERO DUO, THE GRAY AND THE GARNET! AS YOU KNOW, THE GRAY AND THE GARNET ARE HAMPDEN-SYDNEY’S OWN CRIME-FIGHTING CAPED CRUSADERS WHO ENSURE THAT ALL STUDENTS ALWAYS FOLLOW THE RULES OF SYDNEYISM TO THE LETTER. THE IDENTITIES OF THESE MYSTERIOUS MASKED MEN ARE A COMPLETE MYSTERY TO ALL ON CAMPUS, EVEN WITH THE WONDROUS WHITE HAIR AND FROSTY COMPLEXION OF THE GRAY AND THE SHORT, STOCKY, RED-HEADED VISAGE OF THE GARNET. THESE MAGNIFICENT MASCULINE MODELS OF JUSTICE, TRUTH, AND LIGHT HAVE PLEDGED TO GUIDE ALL STUDENTS OF HAMPDEN-SYDNEY COLLEGE IN THE WAYS OF SYDNEYISM IN BOTH THEIR PUBLIC OR PRIVATE LIVES, WHETHER THEY LIKE IT OR NOT.

THIS WEEK, THE BRAVE BASTIONS OF BETTER MEN WERE SIGHTED IN THE CUSHING DORMITORY. A STUDENT THERE, A FRESHMAN WHO WAS UNABLE TO WIN OVER THE LOVELY LADIES OF LONGWOOD WITH HIS PILLAR OF VIRTUE, DECIDED INSTEAD TO PERUSE NAUGHTY VIDEOS USING THE COLLEGE’S INTERNET CONNECTION! OUR IMMACULATE INQUISITORS HAD TO ACT FAST BEFORE THIS BOY’S BETTER SELF WAS FOREVER LOST THROUGH HIS NEGLECT OF NO-NUT NOVEMBER. LIKE A FROSTY FLASH, THE GRAY BROUGHT OUT HIS CEREMONIAL SCEPTER OF RIGHTEOUSNESS AND BEGAN TO BEAT THE BAD NATURE OUT OF THE YOUTH, WHILE THE GARNET HELD HIM DOWN TO ENSURE THAT HE WOULD HAVE TO ENDURE HIS EXTEMPORANEOUS EXORCISM. WHEN FINALLY THE DASHING DUO HAD DONE THEIR DEED, THE GRATEFUL GREENHORN THREW HIMSELF AT THEIR FEET AND THANKED THEM FROM THE BOTTOM OF HIS HEART FOR PRESERVING HIS VIRTUE, PLEDGING TO POLICE NOT ONLY HIMSELF BUT ALSO HIS PEERS WHENEVER THEY WERE TEMPTED BY TANTALIZING TIKTOKS.

WHEN QUESTIONED ABOUT THE APPEARANCE OF THE GRAY, OUR BENEVOLENT LEADER GENERAL SECRETARY STIMPERT SAID, “WHAT IS WITH ALL THE QUESTIONS?!!! GO AWAY! YOU KNOW NOTHING, AND I WILL HAVE YOU KILLED IF YOU SUGGEST OTHERWISE!” TRULY, WORDS TO LIVE BY.

THIS WAS THE MOST RECENT APPEARANCE OF THE GRAY AND THE GARNET. REMEMBER THAT THESE GRAND GRACCHAIC GIANTS GUARD YOU AND YOUR VIRTUE ALWAYS, EVEN WHILE YOU SLEEP. PRAISE THEM WITH THE HIGHEST OF PRAISES, AND YOUR VIRTUE WILL BE LIKE NONE OTHER! I HAVE BEEN YOUR HUMBLE HONORARY ASSISTANT JUNIOR MINISTER OF PROPAGANDA. TRULY, I COULD NOT BE MORE HAPPY TO SERVE YOU, MY READERS, AND TO SERVE OUR FAIR COLLEGE. GLORY TO HAMPDEN-SYDNEY!

BEFORE THE PRINCIPLES OF THIS REVOLUTION TOOK HOLD, THE COLLEGE MERELY STUMBLLED BY. NOW IT STRIVES. SYDNEYISM MUST SPREAD, BUT BEFORE IT DOES, ALL CRITICISM AT HOME MUST BE CRUSHED. FACULTY-COMRADE COMPLAINTS OF COMPENSATION WILL NOT BE TOLERATED. NO LONGER SHALL STUDENT-COMRADES MOCK OUR PRINCIPLES: INTERNATIONAL SYDNEYISM AND SWAGGER ARE HERE TO STAY.



THOSE WHO PREACH THAT RESULTS SHOULD DICTATE THE PRINCIPLES OF THIS REVOLUTION ARE MACONIST PIGS. NO LONGER SHALL WE BE ENSLAVED TO THE MACONIST ELEMENTS OF “GOOD” COLLEGE GOVERNANCE. SYDNEYISM IS ALL THERE IS. NOW IS OUR TIME. STUDENT-COMRADES OF THE WORLD UNITE!